

YouGov European Political Monthly Survey Results

Sample Size: 1122 adults in Germany
Fieldwork: 7th - 14th November 2025

Weighted Sample Unweighted Sample		Age (1)						Age (2)			Gender		Region		2025 Past Vote			
	Total	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female	West	East	SPD	CDU/ CSU	Bündnis 90/ Die Grünen	AfD
	1122	58	164	220	151	225	305	222	371	529	548	574	905	217	145	252	102	182
	1122	35	151	205	161	246	324	186	366	570	538	584	898	224	150	251	108	194
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Taking into account all the different spending priorities, do you think each of the following are currently investing too much or too little in defence, or is the current amount about right?

Germany

Too much	21	18	23	22	15	25	21	22	19	23	18	24	20	28	16	11	8	36
Current amount is about right	33	31	34	31	30	34	34	33	30	34	40	26	33	31	44	41	43	22
Too little	32	16	30	27	41	29	38	27	33	34	36	29	34	25	36	43	32	29
Don't know	14	35	13	20	14	12	7	18	18	9	6	21	13	17	5	5	17	14

The EU

Too much	16	17	14	17	12	20	14	15	15	17	17	15	14	21	8	9	6	33
Current amount is about right	28	19	42	27	24	27	26	36	26	26	29	27	28	28	41	29	29	19
Too little	36	11	31	29	41	33	47	26	34	41	43	29	38	28	39	54	40	24
Don't know	20	53	13	26	23	20	13	24	25	16	11	29	20	23	12	8	25	24

Which of the following best reflects your view?

It is more important that European countries are procuring defence equipment from within the EU, even if that equipment is more expensive or less capable	27	40	34	26	29	24	25	35	27	24	33	22	28	24	27	36	32	24
It is more important that Europe is able to access the best value, most capable defence solutions, even if that means using defence equipment provided by overseas companies	41	4	39	42	41	42	47	30	42	45	45	37	41	40	47	46	44	43
Not sure	32	56	27	33	30	35	29	35	32	31	22	42	31	36	26	17	24	33